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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TO RESPOND TO OUTSTANDING PATENT OFFICE ACTION (37 CFR 1.136(a))

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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 Washington, DC 20231

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1. This is a petition for an extension of time for filing a response.

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